
Conceptual Overview:

Game Objective:

- The computer generates a **random number (1–100)**.
- The player gets **10 attempts** to guess the number.
- After each guess, feedback is shown whether it's too high, too low, or correct.
- If guessed correctly, the number of attempts is recorded.
- The best (lowest) number of attempts is saved as **High Score** using a text file.
- A **Reset** button restarts the game.

Java Concepts & Libraries Used:

Java Swing Library:

- For GUI development:
 - `JFrame`, `JPanel`, `JLabel`, `JButton`, `JTextField`, `JOptionPane`
 - Layout management via `BoxLayout`, `Box.createRigidArea`
 - Custom colors and fonts via `Font`, `Color`, and `setBackground()`

AWT Library:

- For GUI painting and layout:
 - `Graphics`, `Image`, `Font`, `Component`, `Dimension`

Event Handling:

- **`ActionListener` interface:** Used to handle button clicks and enter key actions.

I/O (File Handling):

- For saving/loading high scores:
 - `BufferedReader`, `BufferedWriter`, `FileReader`, `FileWriter`
 - Handles **persistence** of game data across sessions using `highscore.txt`.

Random Number Generation:

- `java.util.Random` class is used to generate a random number from 1 to 100.

🔄 OOP (Object-Oriented Programming) Principles Used:

✓ Encapsulation:

- Game logic and GUI components are encapsulated within the `NumberGuessGame` class.
- Variables like `randomnumber`, `attemptsleft`, and `highscore` are private.

✓ Abstraction:

- The user interacts with a simple GUI and does not need to understand internal logic like file handling or random number generation.

✓ Inheritance:

- The `NumberGuessGame` class **extends** `JFrame`, inheriting window behavior from Java's Swing framework.

✓ Polymorphism:

- Implementing the `ActionListener` interface and **overriding** `actionPerformed()` method.
- Also, `paintComponent()` in `backgroundpanel` is an overridden method for custom drawing.

✓ Composition:

- The `NumberGuessGame` class uses other objects like `JPanel`, `JButton`, `JLabel`, etc., to build the complete GUI.

☐ Classes & Structure:

◆ `NumberGuessGame` (Main class):

- Inherits from `JFrame`.
- Implements `ActionListener` to respond to user actions.
- Handles:
 - Random number generation
 - Attempt tracking
 - Highscore logic

- GUI layout

◆ **backgroundpanel (Inner class):**

- Inherits from `JPanel`.
 - Overrides `paintComponent(Graphics g)` to paint a background image.
 - Loads image from resources using `getResource("areeba.png")`.
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GUI Elements:

Element	Description
<code>TextField</code>	To input the guessed number.
<code>Button (Guess)</code>	To submit a guess.
<code>Button (Reset)</code>	To reset the game after it's over.
<code>Label (Messages)</code>	To guide the user and give feedback.
<code>Label (Highscore)</code>	To show the best score.
<code>Label (Credits)</code>	To show developer's name.

Game Logic Flow:

1. **Start Game** → Generate random number (1-100) and set 10 attempts.
 2. **User Inputs a Guess** → Evaluate guess.
 - If correct: Display success and attempts used.
 - If incorrect: Show message (too high/low), reduce attempts.
 - If out of attempts: Reveal the number.
 3. **High Score** → If new score is better, save it to a file.
 4. **Reset** → Generate new number, reset attempts and fields.
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Files Used:

- **NumberGuessGame.java** – Main Java source file.
 - **highscore.txt** – Text file that stores the best score.
 - **areeba.png** – Background image used in the game.
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💡 Important Features:

Feature	Implementation
Persistent High Score	File I/O via <code>BufferedReader/Writer</code>
Custom Background Image	Drawn using <code>paintComponent()</code>
User-friendly Messages	<code>JLabel</code> updates and <code>JOptionPane</code> pop-ups
Styled GUI	Fonts, colors, emojis used in GUI elements
Error Handling	For number parsing and file I/O
Reset Functionality	Allows starting a new game after one ends
Input Validation	Checks for valid numbers (1–100)

💡 Possible Enhancements:

- Add **sound effects** (win/lose).
 - Add **timer** to track how fast a user guesses.
 - Keep a **history of guesses**.
 - Allow user to choose **difficulty level** (adjust number range or attempts).
 - Save **player name** along with score.
 - Deploy as a `.jar` file for desktop use.
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✓ Summary:

Aspect	Description
Language	Java
Type	GUI-based desktop game
GUI Library	Swing + AWT
Concepts Used	OOP (Inheritance, Polymorphism, Encapsulation), File I/O, Event Handling, Random Numbers
File Structure	Single Java file + image + text file
Audience	Beginners learning GUI and OOP in Java
